

CUPID AND HIS DARTS.

BRILLIANT AND FASHIONABLE WEDDINGS THIS WEEK.

Morrissey-Fairweather - Taylor-Elder - McLaren-Nicholson - Society Events in All Parts of the Province and a Bright Letter from Halifax.

During the past two months, society appeared to have closed its gates to all gayer presences to indulge in a required rest.

Some of its members remained quietly at home—probably to superintend their trousseaux or something of equal importance—while others retired to the seashore and quiet country.

Now, however, their brief holiday would seem to have expired and I am not sorry to welcome them back, and rejoice to note the short monotonous spell of our social city giving place to gay and happy festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Burpee, who, since Mrs. Burpee's return from the continent, have been busily engaged in re-establishing their hospitable home, have issued invitations to a large number of friends for Tuesday evening next, when their daughter, Miss Kate, will make her debut to society.

I'm sure Miss Burpee's friends all join with me in wishing her much happiness and the realization of many anticipated joys in the social world.

Mr. Walters, from England, and Mr. Carvell, from Prince Edward Island, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burpee.

Mrs. Tucker and her daughter from Boston are visiting Mrs. W. Turnbull, Elliott row.

Mr. C. Tuck, who has been spending some weeks with his parents, left for Winnipeg Wednesday morning.

Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, of Carleton, gave a delightful party last Monday evening.

Miss DeVeber left Tuesday morning to make a short visit in Portland, Maine.

Mrs. Col. Domville and Mrs. Vernon were in the city for a few days last week. They returned to Digby, where a number of visitors still remain and much social pleasure is indulged in. The event of the season was the large party given by Dr. and Mrs. Fritz last Saturday, being the fourth anniversary of their wedding.

Over 100 invitations were issued. I hear everyone had a most enjoyable time, but I can give no further particulars as I was not present.

Mrs. McNair, who has been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cruikshank has returned to her home in Ontario.

Mr. J. Millar Wilson, of Ridley Park, Philadelphia, has arrived in St. John to take a party of ladies home, who have been visiting Mrs. J. McAvity.

A large number of children were made happy last Wednesday evening, by a party given at the residence of Mr. James McGovern. It was a pretty sight, the little ones all daintily attired dancing around, appreciating Mrs. McGovern's kind attentions and making their elders almost envy the delightful enthusiasm evinced at their evening's entertainment.

Another of our popular Public Library entertainments will be held at the Institute, Oct. 4th. I believe it's to be somewhat similar to the Tennysonian evening, but on this occasion we shall have an opportunity of becoming more fully acquainted with Sir Walter Scott.

The residence of Mr. Cruikshank, Queen square, presented a brilliant appearance last evening, when a party of young people were assembled and heartily enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Cruikshank and their daughters.

Mr. Hammond has kindly issued invitations to his friends to visit and inspect his paintings.

Miss Whitney, who has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. C. Turnbull, has returned to New York to resume her artistic work.

Mrs. James U. Robertson has returned to her home in New York, her uncle, Mr. Robert Reed, accompanying her.

This has been a particularly happy and festive week for a great many; while to others it has been a week of terrible sorrow, especially to the many attached friends of Miss Ella Clawson. They will long mourn for and miss the lovable, sympathetic girl, while those who were not so intimately acquainted with her, but ever rejoiced in her singing, will feel a blank, and often long to hear the clear, sweet voice that is, doubtless, carolling a song more joyous than any ever sung on earth.

The many friends of Rev. G. O. Troop will be delighted to have his genial self among them once more. He will be the guest of Mr. R. W. Crookshank while in the city.

Miss Marian Jack has returned to the city after a lengthy visit to friends in Banor.

Mrs. Cotton is at her mother's, Mrs. Wm. Elder.

Never before did the pretty little church at Rothsay present a more lovely appearance than on last Wednesday, when quantities of rare and beautiful flowers were artistically arranged and the edifice was filled with happy expectant faces, all anxious to have a good view of one of Rothsay's greatest favorites—Miss Lillian Fairweather—who was united in marriage to Mr. Alford Morrissey. The petite bride looked even more charming than ever, being attired in a most becoming bridal toilette, minus gloves, which seemed a most sensible departure from the long prevailing fashion. The school children standing in the aisle, scattering flowers before the bride, had an exceedingly pretty effect.

The charming and elegant bridal costume was of white satin and Duchesse lace.

Miss Hall, the intimate friend and daily companion of the bride, was attired in white and pink silk and lace. She was first bridesmaid.

Miss Mabel Fairweather, the second bridesmaid, wore white China silk and Miss Daisy Fairweather, third bridesmaid, pink silk.

Some very handsome dresses I noticed were those of Mrs. Fairweather, black lace and red satin; Mrs. S. Hall, black velvet and white moire; Mrs. Trout, of Portland, cadet blue satin, diamond ornaments; Mrs. Parker, white silk and tulle; Mrs. Hall, sr., black lace; Mrs. Morrissey, black and pink feathers; Mrs. W. M. McKay, pink silk and bonnet to match; Mrs. Dr. Holden, crush strawberry silk; Mrs. J. M. Robinson, crimson velvet and black; Mrs. J. F. Robertson, black moire; Mrs. W. F. Harrison, black satin and pink moire; Mrs. John McMillan, black silk and pink; Mrs. Seely, black satin, pearl ornaments; Mrs. Dr. Alward, blue silk and

cardinal bonnet; Mrs. H. J. Godard, sage green satin; Mrs. Parks, black satin and lace; Mrs. Straton, black satin and lace, mauve bonnet and flowers; Miss N. Robinson, pale pink, crimson trimmings; Miss Gilbert, peacock blue satin, pearl ornaments; Mrs. F. King, heliotrope silk, with white lace; The Misses Campbell, of Weymouth, white china silk, pearl ornaments; Miss M. Fairweather, black lace and white bonnet; Miss Donville, white silk, trimmed with lace; Miss Seely, silk, crimson and cardinal; Miss Rhodes, crimson satin.

Of the popular groom and his capable, graceful and experienced support, Mr. Fred Daniel, nothing more complimentary can be said than that they were the right men in the right place.

Mr. Morrissey's response to the bridal toast was happy and to the point.

Mrs. Morrissey was one of Rothsay's cleverest, brightest and most beautiful young ladies. Every circle will miss her.

At an early hour Thursday morning a quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Elder—whose daughter Minnie was married to Mr. J. Taylor of London Ont. The bride, who was attended by Miss Twining of Halifax, was arrayed in a beautiful white toilette which she soon afterwards changed for a neat and pretty cheviot travelling costume. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor are to spend a few days in St. Andrews before going to their London home.

To many others besides society people, Miss Elder was known as the accomplished literary editor of the Telegraph. I am but one of the many who hope that she will not allow her new responsibilities to end her work in this direction, for we should sadly miss her accurate and discriminating but always sympathetic criticisms.

Only a limited number of tickets had been distributed for the wedding of Dr. Murray McLaren and Miss Nicholson—which was solemnized in Trinity church at quarter past six Thursday evening—yet an immense concourse had assembled at the Germain street door before 5 o'clock. About a quarter of six the doors were opened and the people poured in. During the arrival of the guests which began a quarter of an hour later Prof. Morley delighted the vast assembly by his magnificent music. At a quarter past six the bride entered with her uncle, Major Grant. She was superbly dressed in rich white satin, with long bridal veil and carried a fragrant bouquet of white roses. Following her were the six bridesmaids—the four sisters of the bride and Miss Maggie and Miss F. McLaren, sisters of the groom—all wearing exceedingly pretty white dresses with gold surah sashes, and carrying lovely seasonal bouquets of yellow daisies. The groom was attended by Dr. Daniel and Messrs. E. Sturdee, R. Grant, Geo. McLeod, K. Jones and Mr. Kirkwood. Messrs. Corey, Keltie Jones and Roland Grant made very pleasing ushers. Some of the toilettes worn by the ladies were remarkably beautiful. Mrs. Geo. Smith's crimson dress and bonnet of some light gauzy material was strikingly becoming and attracted much attention—but I must not descant on the dresses, as they were all worthy of mention, but would occupy rather too much space. However, let me say it was one of the most brilliant and best conducted weddings I have ever witnessed. Among the guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crookshank, Miss Crookshank, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Nellie Scudder, Mr. and Mrs. DeW. Spurr, Major Tucker, Mrs. Donald, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Macrae, Major and Mrs. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. McLaren, The Misses McLaren, Miss B. McLaren, Mr. and Mrs. John McLaren, Mr. and Mrs. Outram, Mr. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. S. Jardine, Miss Jack, Mr. and Mrs. C. Drury, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parks, Capt. Chisholm, Mr. Coker, Mr. Miller, C. Burpee, F. H. G. Ruel, C. Harrison, Mr. Miller, Mr. Mills, Mr. Glazebrook, A. Fairweather, Mr. Wm and Miss Jarvis, Miss McLaughlin, Senator and Mrs. Lewin,

Mr. and Mrs. S. Jones, The Misses Jones, Geo. Jones, Miss Scaton (Halifax), Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Seely, Mrs. Morrissey, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones, Mrs. Bayard, The Misses Bayard, Mrs. Hazen, Miss L. Hazen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunn, Mr. F. McMillan, Miss McMillan, Mr. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Trueman, Judge and Mrs. Tuck, Dr. and Mrs. Holden, Dr. and Mrs. Walker, Dr. Emery, Dr. D. Berryman, Dr. Bruce, Dr. White, Dr. and Mrs. McAviney, Dr. Wm. Bayard, Dr. and Mrs. Inches, Dr. and Mrs. Snowball (Chatham).

Mr. and Mrs. McLaren left in the evening train for New York. When they return they will reside on Coburg street.

The Rothsay Lawn Tennis club will conclude a very successful season next Thursday evening, by a dance at "The Nest."

There was a large attendance at evening prayer in Trinity, Thursday. Many of the worshippers had conceived the brilliant idea that, after the service, they might remain in the church and see the wedding, and it was a bitter disappointment to them with in the school-room.

Now, I wonder if there could possibly be any great harm in my relating a bit of gossip told in confidence, so long, you know, as I refrain from giving the names of the parties concerned? I do so much wish to tell of our greatly-admired and popular barrister dude who forsook this city for British Columbia, almost a year ago, how he is doing so well, and has resolved to join the benedicts next month. But I'm afraid it might seem like a breach of confidence, so I guess I won't mention it.

THE GOSSIP.

CELESTIAL TALK.

(For some reason which cannot be explained at this moment our usual full and bright society letter from Fredericton has failed to reach this office. Fredericton subscribers will not regret it more than we do.—THE EDITORS.

MONCTON SOCIETY.

MONCTON, Sept. 5.—Last Friday was the first for many weeks that has passed over without a party of some kind, and so accustomed does one become to luxury that we feel quite lonely and lost without our usual weekly dissipation. Then, on Saturday, the cruel rain came down in torrents all day and completely drowned out the base ball match we had been looking forward to all the week. The base ball ground was in puddles and the bats were warped out of shape, so the "Socials" passed sadly on to Halifax, and the "Mutuals" sat down by the waters of desolation and wept. But life cannot be all "beer and skittles" even in a railway town, so we did without our

party and our match and turned our attention to more weighty matters, such as the "Retaliator Bill" and who really was the correspondent for PROGRESS.

Still our town is full of "strangers and pilgrims," and one sees so many strange faces during a walk down Main street that he is tempted to wonder whether he is at home or abroad.

Last Friday I saw the genial face of the Hon. D. L. Hanington, who looked unusually well and seemed in the best of spirits.

Saturday, Senator Botsford and Josiah Wood, M. P., were in town, the former looking hale and vigorous as a man of 60 in spite of his more than four-score years and his half century of political life.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Parson, of Sackville, paid a flying visit to Moncton yesterday. Mr. Parson is manager of the New York Quarrying company, which is now operating the Wood Point stone quarry at Sackville.

Mr. Lyons, of the Halifax firm of Lyons, Mooney & Lyons, spent last Sunday in Moncton, visiting his brother, Mr. John Lyons, chief clerk of the I. C. R. passenger department.

Mr. and Mrs. Dusan, of Dartmouth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harris.

Mr. F. M. Cotton, former manager of the Bank of Montreal here, but now of Halifax, is spending some days in town. Mrs. Cotton proceeded direct to St. John, to be present at the wedding of her sister, Miss Elder.

Miss Louise Romans, of Halifax, paid a short visit to Moncton, this week, the guest of Mrs. C. F. H. Campbell.

Mrs. Elder, of Wolfville, her son and grandson, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Borden.

Mrs. and the Misses Galt, have returned to town for a time. They will probably spend the autumn, and part of the winter in Fredericton.

Mrs. McMillan, of Antigonish, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward McSweeney. Mrs. McMillan is also a sister of Mr. P. S. Archibald.

Mr. Albert MacAlary's friends are glad to welcome him out again, after his long and severe illness.

Mr. H. A. Price, private secretary to Mr. Pottinger, and Mrs. Price returned, last week, from Ottawa, where they had been detained for some weeks by the former's severe illness. Mr. Price is looking better than his friends expected to see him.

Mr. J. G. Ross, of Quebec, paid a short visit to Moncton this week, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harris.

Mrs. P. S. Enman has returned, with her children, from Prince Edward Island, where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. P. S. Archibald returned, from The "Beaches" last week, and will probably remain in town for the rest of the Autumn.

Mrs. Williamson has returned to Buc-touche to make final arrangements for her departure to Queens county. We had hoped to have Mr. and Mrs. Williamson in Moncton this winter and are correspondingly disappointed to find that they will be even farther away than before. Mrs. Williamson is one who can ill be spared from Moncton society.

Miss Maggie McKean left for Quebec last week with her father, and she will no doubt have a most delightful week in the grand old city.

Moncton is looking its very best just now. A few of the trees and Virginia creepers are turning crimson and the gardens are gay with autumn flowers. Strangers always speak of the love Monctonians seem to have for flowers. Almost every house has some kind of a garden and some have very beautiful ones. Conspicuous among them all is the garden of Mr. James McAllister, of Botsford street, which is a rest to the eye in its blaze of brightness, and next, I think, comes that of Mr. Hugh Hamilton, of the I. C. R., who is a well-known lover of flowers.

The popularity of PROGRESS is beginning to sound like an oft-told tale, for we all know how popular it is; but I must tell you that last Sunday a friend came in to borrow mine, saying, "I bought the last PROGRESS in town last Saturday night, but last night it rained, so I could not go down town, and I know there will be no use in trying to get one tomorrow, for there is never one left." —CECIL GWYNNE.

WOODSTOCK WHISPERINGS.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 6. — Mr. Robert Clanahan, of the civil service, Ontario, accompanied by his wife, made a week's visit to Woodstock and vicinity.

Dr. Johnson, of Sussex, spent a week in town.

Mr. Charles Campbell, Missouri, son of Mr. Enoch Campbell, Grafton, returns this week after a lengthy visit to his native town.

Mrs. R. B. Manzer, who has been ill for some time, still continues very low. Doctors are in doubt of her recovery.

Miss Clara Carr gave a very interesting party Monday evening, about 50 guests being present.

Miss Owens, sister of Dr. Owens, and Miss Lucy, of Fredericton, are visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnson, of Fredericton, are in town.

Rev. Mr. Shore and wife of St. Stephen are spending a week in town, the guests of Mr. Henderson.

Rev. Dr. McDougall, of Calvin church, St. John, delighted his many friends here with a short visit among them the first of the week.

Mr. H. Paxton Baird has returned from Newfoundland, where he has been for some time.

Miss McIntyre, of Sussex, is making a short visit to friends here.

Mrs. Greenshields and her mother, Mrs. Glass, widow of the late Gordon Glass, Montreal, who have been visiting here for a month, left on Monday last.

IN THE SHIRE TOWN OF KENT.

RICHMOND, Sept. 5.—The many friends of Mr. H. H. Phinney (one of the most popular and efficient railway mail clerks on the C. P. R.) were glad to welcome him back to his old home. Since his former visit he has passed his examination for a second class clerkship with honors.

Miss Jessie Hannah, formerly of Richibucto now of Montreal, is here visiting her mother.

Miss Hannah will leave next week for an extended tour to Campbellton, Moncton, Fredericton and St. John.

Hon. D. L. Hanington and his son Mr. Robert Hanington were in town today. Miss Block of Fredericton is here visiting Mrs. James D. Phinney. LELLA.

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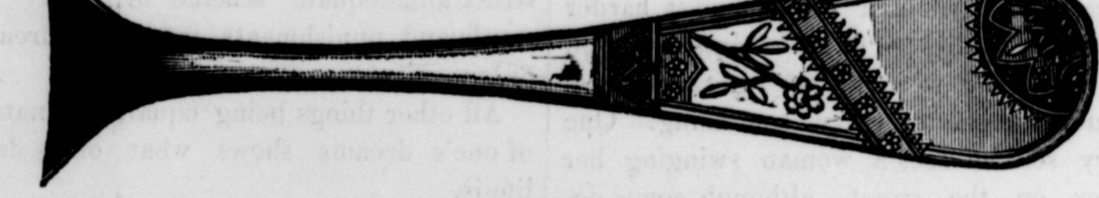
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